## ACTS OF A

## GENERAL CHARACTER.

The First Session of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota was convened, in pursuance of the proclamation of the Governor, on the third day of September, 1849, and adjourned on the first day of November, 1849.

ALEXANDER RAMSEY, Governor; DAVID OLMSTED, President of the Council until October 6th; WILLIAM HENRY FORBES, President pro tem. of the Council after October 6th; Joseph W. Furber, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CMAP. I.—An Act declaring the time at which the several acts passed at the present session of the Assembly shall take effect.

Oct. 12, 1849.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota, That all acts passed during the present session of the Legislative Assembly, shall take effect from and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine; Provided, That nothing herein contained shall prohibit the Legislature from prescribing a different time by special enactment, at which any act shall take effect.

All acts take effect first December, 1849, unless

APPROVED the eleventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

CHAP. II .- An Act to authorise the printing of certain laws in the several Newspapers of the Territory.

Oct. 11, 1849.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota, That the Secretary of the Territory be and he is hereby authorized and required to furnish for publication, to the publishers of each and every newspaper now printed in the Territory, copies of all laws of a general character passed by the Legislative Assembly; Provided, That the price paid for the same shall not exceed one half the rate paid for the publication of the laws and journals in pamphlet form.

Secretary to furnish copies of laws of a general nature for publication.

SEC. 2. Said publication shall be made as soon as practicable after the laws shall have been filed in the office of the Secretary of the Territory.

Publication thereof, when made.

the Territory.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED the eleventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

When act took effect.